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FIGHTING FOR LIFE.

Thrilling Scenes on the Coast of England.

TRYING TO RESCUE THE PERISHING.

Many of the Life-Savers Meet Death in Their Noble Efforts—Generous Acts — The Women First — The Last to Leave His Ship.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—No braver struggle for life has been witnessed on this coast than that which resulted last night in the rescue of the remaining members of the crew of the British ship Bienvenue, of Glasgaw. All day, since the terrible situation of the crew became known, the Hythe and Sandgate lifeboats had been struggling to reach the doomed vessel through the dangerous breakers, which beat with a fury that seemed to make the existence even of a lifeboat impossible. While the crew clung to the masts the people on shore tried to make their encouraging cheers heard above the roar of the storm.

About 4:30 in the afternoon the Bienvenue began to break up, but the masts, with the unfortunates clinging in the rigging, still held together. About this time the multitude on shore were thrilled by the spectacle of a seaman's daring and desperate stroke for salvation of himself and his fellow-survivors. The sailor, a brave, sturdy fellow, looking every inch a British seaman, fastened a line around his waist and leaped into the waters that beat with fearful force around the wreck. Cheer upon cheer went up from the watching thousands. The sailor struck out boldly for the shore. He was evidently a splendid swimmer, and for a few moments it seemed that the powerful sweep of his limbs would carry him through the boiling waves. But suddenly a pursuing breaker burst upon him, and he was buried from sight. Breathless with anxiety, the crowd on shore and the remnant of the wreck awaited the man's reappearance. Even the storm seemed to hush. Then came an agonizing cry from hundreds of throats as the sailor appeared again, limp and lifeless, tossed on the crest and in the hollow of the waves. He was dead, and his fate seemed to foreshadow the doom of his late companions. Not long afterward the corpse, and that of another bold swimmer from the wreck, were carried ashore.

The storm abated somewhat as darkness grew, and another attempt was made to launch the Sandgate lifeboat. Scores of volunteers assisted in the launching, and amid shouts from thousands that must have sent a hopeful echo across the stretch of foam to the weary hearts and numbed limbs on the wreck, the lifeboat started. It seemed doubtful for a while whether the task could be accomplished; but at length, after a tremendous struggle, the brave life-savers brought their boat up to the rigging of the Bienvenue, and rescued every one that remained. The poor fellows were almost unable to help themselves. They had clung mechanically for hours in their perilous positions, and they were utterly exhausted.

It was 9:15 p. m., when the lifeboat touched the wreck, and the work of taking in the poor wretches was as perilous as that of getting to them.

The reception on shore will be remembered for many a long day. Everybody rushed to cheer and shake the rescuers by the hand, and most generous attention was devoted to the victims of the storm. These were taken to Folkestone.

Ten minutes after the Sandgate crew had succeeded in saving the Bienvenue people, the Dover lifeboat arrived.

The bark T. P. Pfluger, from San Francisco for Bremen, was wrecked at Hastings. Her crew of seventeen and five pasengers remained in the rigging five hours, while the life-savers sent rocket after rocket, with line attacked, to the rescue. Several rockets fell short, but at length a line reached the vessel. Thousands were assembled on shore. Their sympathies were raised by seeing a woman's form among the shipwrecked.

A tremendous cheer went up when it was seen that the line was fastened. The crew behaved nobly, and the woman was the first to be sent on the perilous journey to safety. Nearly half dead she was hauled ashore. Then followed two boys, and after them the men, the captain coming last. He was given an ovation.

Two of the members of the Hythe life-saving crew were drowned in the accident to that boat, while attempting to reach the Bienvenue early in the evening, others being rescued by the spectators. It appears that artillery was also used in the attempt to throw a line to that vessel. Chain shot was discharged from cannon at a safe height, a cord being attached to the shot, with the hope that the cord would be carried over, and fall upon the wreck. Every cord broke. The Dover lifeboat, which arrived immediately after the rescue by the Sandgate crew, had been brought around by a tug from Dover.

The number rescued from the Bienvenue is twenty-seven. The lost are Capt. Moddill, of Liverpool, two apprentices, the steward, and a seaman.

The sea swept as high as the mizzen top, so the struggle to hold on may be imagined. The Bienvenue was bound from London to Sydney.

At Dungeness, on the same dangerous shore, five vessels were stranded, one a foreign ship. The Dungeness lifeboat, in making an effort to reach the vessel, was overturned, and five of the crew were drowned. Two men from the stranded ships lost their lives in trying to swim to the shore.

The schooner John Roberts, of Port Madoc, Wales, went ashore, yesterday afternoon, near Brighton. Rockets failed to carry lines to the vessel. The crew were in the rigging, and the vessel seemed about to break up. The Shoreham lifeboat did not engage a tug for the rescue, but was drawn to the scene by the horses on the road, reaching the spot just five minutes after the vessel broke into pieces. The spectators were so angry at what they considered a lack of energy that might have proved fatal, that they made a hostile demonstration against the crew. Meantime the shipwrecked mariners leaped into the sea, and battled their way to the shore, with the assistance of volunteers.

Would Like To Be Emperor of Brazil.

PARIS, Nov. 12.—The deposed Bourbons, who used to rule over the two Sicilies before Garibaldi drove the son of Bomba from the throne, seem a good deal more excited over the Brazilian situation than Dom Pedro himself. Neapolitan Bourbons are getting to be a hungry set. Their means are running short, and they no longer have a kingdom to squeeze for a living. If one, of them as grandson of Dom Pedro I of Brazil, should be elevated to the throne on the ruins of the Brazilian republic, as suggested in the London Times, the whole family would come in for a rich share of Brazilian spoils, which they badly need. The grandsons, children of the Princess Januaria, are about as hopeless specimens of royalty as Europe has produced in the present century. The elder, Louis, upon whom the advocates of restoration, appear to have centered, has a morganatic wife, whom he would doubtless cast aside, if elected emperor of Brazil, to give place to some woman of royal degree. No European nation even among the Balkan states, would think of accepting him as a ruler, and those who know him best say that, as a successor to Dom Pedro he would present a contrast likely to startle the Brazilians. As he is about 45 years of age, he no longer has the plea of youth for his follies. The friends in Paris of the Brazilian republic express no apprehension that the country who ejected Dom Pedro will accept in his place the royal offsprings of Italy.

Talk is Cheap.

VIENNA, Nov. 12.—The transfer of the four regiments of Ascot to the Galician frontier, yesterday, is regarded as a singular comment on the kaiser's talk about peace to the presidents of the chambers.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The American Bankers' association is in session in New Orleans.

—A Montevideo dispatch says there are 2,000 cases of influenza in that city.

—Portugal is about to send war ships to Brazil for the protection of her interests.

—The Baltimore & Ohio directors yesterday declared a stock dividend of 50 per cent.

—Six anarchists have been arrested in Prague, including the notorious Mark Herget.

—A loan for the fortification of Heligoland is to be submitted to the German reichstag.

—It is reported that trichinosis has made its appearance in American bacon at Soligen, Prussia.

—Immigrant Inspector Schell, at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., has returned to Canada eleven contract laborers.

—The Russian department of taxation estimates that 800,000,000 of roubles will be required to deal with the famine.

—Mrs. S. J. C. Downs, president of the W. C. T. U. of New Jersey, died Tuesday night, of peritonitis, at her home in Orange.

—The treasury department yesterday purchased 348,000 ounces of silver at 95.1 to 95.3 cents per ounce. The offers were 443,000 ounces.

—A disastrous fire destroyed four big stores in Augusta, Ga., yesterday. The total loss incurred is estimated at $125,000; insurance, about one-third.

—News has been received of the hanging at McConnel, Tenn., of a negro who attempted to outrage a 10-year-old white girl. The negro confessed the crime.

—Judge Dill, of Iowa, and ex-Assistant Secretary of State Porter, of Tennessee, are probably to be selected as the two new interstate commerce commissioners.

—The New York customs officials have discovered an enormous system of opium smuggling from Canada in which a number of wholesale druggists are said to be involved.

—Tuesday evening at Veadodeia, O., a boiler explosion killed C. W. and A. Thomas. They were drawing lumber, and had let the water run out of the boiler. Both men leave large families.

—The Dublin National Press bitterly condemns Mrs. Parnell for ordering the Paris fund to remain locked up, and claims that she has conspired with Mr. Harrington to keep the money from the evicted tenants.

—John C. Scott, a young medical student from Galveston, Tex., committed suicide in the German hospital in Philadelphia, yesterday, by cutting his throat with a broken piece of glass while in a fit of temporary insanity.

—Chairman Hahn of the Ohio republican state executive committee has announced himself as favoring the re-election of Senator Sherman. "He should be re elected," he said, "by all means, and I shall do all I can to secure his return."

—The census office yesterday issued a bulletin giving the population of Ohio by minor civil divisions. The population of the state in 1890 was 3,672,316, against 3,198,062 in 1880. Of the eighty-eight counties in the state twenty-eight show decreases, most of them very slight.

—There has still been no official contradiction from Brazil of the reports cabled here from that country to the effect that two or more provinces of that country—certainly the province of Rio Grande do Sul, and possibly those of Pernambuco and Bahia—have seceded.

—The annual meeting of the general missionary committee of the Methodist-Episcopal church was opened at Cleveland, O., yesterday morning. Some fourteen bishops of the church are in attendance. The treasurer's report showed an increase in the missionary fund of about $92,000.

—Robert N. West, John Stagg and Ferdinant Mack, three murderers, each serving life terms in the Waupun (Wis.) penitentiary, made their escape, yesterday afternoon, through a tunnel which they had dug underneath the walls of the prison. A reward of $300 is offered for their capture.

—The Belt line engineers at St. Louis, have gone out, and unless a satisfactory settlement is arrived at as the result of a conference of the officials with Grand Master Sargent, a complicated state of affairs will be the result, as engineers on connecting lines will not be permitted to handle Belt line cars.

—All the employes at the American iron and steel works of Jones & Laughlin at Pittsburgh, Pa., returned to their places and work yesterday except about fifty laborers whose places had been filled during the strike. The grievances of the strikers have been submitted to the national committee of the Amalgamated association. Work was resumed in all departments pending the decision of the national committee.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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FROM WASHINGTON.

Yesterday's Session of the Fraternal Congress.

ADMISSION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

And Other Questions Considered—Another Behring Sea Case—The Business of the Supreme Court—The Christians at Work Rest.

Meeting of the Fraternal Congress.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—At yesterday's session of the Fraternal congress a report was presented from the committee on legislation, laws and constitution, recommending the admission of medical examiners to full membership in the congress. Its consideration was postponed.

After some routine business had been transacted the question of the admission of medical examiners was taken up, and after some discussion it was decided to give the examiners a regular standing in the congress.

"Should government notices be dispensed with?" was the subject of a paper read by N. S. Boynton. He protested against the discrimination of the post office department against the fraternal press in the matter of charges.

Something of a sensation was created by a resolution presented by Mr. W. O. Robson, providing for a committee of one from every state who should engage a lawyer and who should draw up for the approval of the committee a uniform law respecting the beneficial plan, which law should be presented to the various state legislatures.

Mr. Samuel Klotz, of Newark, N. J., representing the Knights of Honor, remarked promptly that he would not pledge his order to any such plan. Other opposition developed, and Mr. Kinsley proposed a substitute providing that the committee on legislation be directed to draft a uniform bill to be presented to the several legislatures and to be considered by the next fraternal congress.

Another Behring Sea Case Before the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—A case involving the same question as that in the Sayward case, as to the jurisdiction of this country over the waters of Behring sea beyond the three-mile limit, was argued before the United States supreme court yesterday. The government filed in this case the brief in the Sayward case excepting that the name of the vessel was changed. The case is that of the American sealer Sylvia Handy, and came to the supreme court on an appeal from the district court of Alaska.

Wm. G. Johnson opened the case for the appellant, covering the same line of argument as that taken in the Sayward case except that the matter related to the right of an American citizen.

Solicitor-General Taft made a brief argument for the government, stating that the same arguments as those made by the government in the Sayward case would apply here. Mr. Taft called attention to the fact that Mr. Johnson and Mr. Calderon Carlisle, who represented, with Mr. Choate, the British government in the Sayward case, were the attorneys in the case before the court. The British government, he said, appeared to be represented in both cases. Attorney-General Miller, for the United States, and Calderon Carlisle, for the appellant, closed the case for their respective sides.

Tabulated Statement of the Business of the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—A tabulated statement of the business of the supreme court, and particularly of the United States in that court, for the past twelve years, has been prepared. It shows that the largest number of government cases ever disposed of at one term, prior to the last, was eighty-six in 1881; whereas, at the last term there were disposed of 180 government cases. The largest number of government cases decided at any previous term was sixty-one; whereas, at the last term there were decided government cases ninety-four. The largest number decided at any previous term in favor of the government was thirty-three, in 1884; whereas, at the last term there were decided in favor of the government sixty-two, being just two out of three of all government cases decided, a higher ratio of decisions in favor of the government than in any previous year, and a very much higher ratio in favor of the government than in any previous year except 1884, in which there were 33 cases decided in favor of the government and seventeen against. It also shows that the highest total of cases disposed of by the supreme court in any previous term was 470, in 1884; whereas there were disposed of at the last term 617 cases, and of this number about 30 per cent, almost one-third, were government cases.

Gov. Buchanan has not Applied for Federal Aid.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Acting Secretary of War Grant said yesterday that there had been no correspondence between the department and the governor of Tennessee asking aid of the federal authorities in case the trouble with the miners in Tennessee becomes serious. Last summer during the trouble with the miners he had some correspondence with Gov. Buchanan which was submitted to the president, but no definite conclusion was reached. There appears to be a question as to whether the governor of Tennessee has the power to order out the state troops, as there is a proviso in the constitution of that state which says the governor can not call out troops unless authorized to do so by the legislature.

The Christians at Work Rest.

WASHINGTON, Nov 12.—The convention of Christians at Work ended last night. At the morning session L. L. Gibson, of Hurley, Wis., described the missionary work being carried on among the Wisconsin lumbermen, and Miss M. E. Remington told of mission work among the foreign population of New Haven.

Invitations to hold the next convention at Cleveland, Boston and Atlanta were tendered by delegates from those cities. The matter of final choice remains with the governing committee, but a vote of the delegates showed a strong majority in favor of Atlanta. Just before the afternoon session began the delegates were received by President Harrison.

The afternoon session was devoted to reading essays and to evangelical services for children, while at night devotional exercises and closing remarks occupied the time.

OPIUM SMUGGLING.

A Gigantic Scheme for Defrauding the Revenue Suddenly Discovered.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The customs officials are somewhat perturbed over the discovery of a wholesale system of opium smuggling which they have suddenly discovered. The drug, it is said, has been brought across the Canadian border in large amounts for some time past, and officials of the custom house are now in that country investigating the matter.

At the custom house, while it was admitted that a large amount of opium has been seized, the officials are very reticent. They say, however, that they will make the full details of the seizure known to-day. When the officers, who are now in Canada investigating the matter, arrive, it is probable that wholesale arrests will be made, in connection with the smuggling of poisons, on this side of the border. Six at least of the men engaged in the traffic are now in this city. Their arrest may take place at any moment. One man, said to be a Canadian, is now in custody. All information concerning him is denied reporters. It is now thought that the opium traffic has been started by some of the opium growers in India. The Indian merchants first sent the drug to Canada and it has been smuggled across the border into the United States.

In addition to having agents in Canada, two or three well-educated natives from Bombay arrived in this city some three months ago. They ostensibly came on some other business, but the real object of their visit is believed to have been the completion of an elaborate arrangement for increasing the opium traffic in this country. As the first attempts at smuggling proved so successful, it was determined to operate on a larger scale. The ramifications of the scheme are intricate and ingenious, but with the information already in the hands of the treasury officials, an effectual stop, it is believed, will be put to opium smuggling.

A Good Long Snooze.

CORTLAND, N. Y., Nov. 12.—Miss Arnold, employed by John Hubbard, postmaster of Blodgett's mills, retired on Sunday evening, slept as usual, and arose the next morning, when she employed herself with her household duties until 10 o'clock. At that time a feeling of extreme drowsiness began creeping over her, which she could not throw off, and she went to sleep. She has been in a deep sleep ever since, and all efforts to arose her are futile. She has partaken of no nourishment since Sunday. The local physicians are greatly puzzled over the case, and are at a loss to account for it. Miss Arnold has symptoms of heart disease.

Sudden Deaths.

Heart disease is by far the most frequent cause of sudden death, which in three cases out of four is unsuspected. The symptoms are not generally understood. These are: a habit of lying on the right side, short breath, pain or distress in the side, back or shoulder, irregular pulse, asthma, weak and hungry spells, wind in stomach, swelling of ankles or dropsy, oppression, dry cough and smothering. Dr. Miles' illustrated book on heart disease free at W. C. Armstrong's who sell and guarrantee Dr. Miles' unequaled New Heart Cure, and his Restorative Nervine, which cures nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, effects of drinking, etc. It contains no opiates.

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THE busybody is usually a very idle person.

AFTER FORTY YEARS.—"My father had a fever sore on his leg for forty years; but has been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment, after trying all other remedies in vain," says Mr. S. Whiterell, a gun of lockmith, at Fort Madison, Iowa. He further says: "The spot where the sore was, is now perfectly clean as any other part. He used three 25 cent boxes in all." ANOTHER!—Mr. D. A. Barr, Druggist, Blackburn, Mo., says: "I have personal knowledge of a case of chronic sore eyes of many years standing, having been cured by Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. The party was Mr. Seth Moore, north of this place." Mr. Moore says the ointment was worth more than a thousand dollars to him. It cost him 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

BEHIND THE BARS.

The Greatest Liar on Earth Comes to Grief.

"ORANGE BLOSSOM" IN THE BASTILE.

Arrested on the Vile Charge of Robbing a Boon Companion Whom He Had Invited to His Room to Pass the Night.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 12. — Jos. Mulhattan, well known the country over as "Orange Blossom," the writer of some of the most startling and marvelously untrue stories ever published, is behind the bars at Central police station, this city, charged with larceny. Patrick O'Toole, a young railroad man, who met Mulhattan for the first time Tuesday night, makes the charge. O'Toole and Mulhattan met in a Grant-street saloon, and soon became the best of friends. They remained together until too late for O'Toole to catch his train. O'Toole readily accepted Mulhattan's invitation to share his room and bed.

Yesterday morning when O'Toole awoke Mulhattan was missing, also a roll of money from his pockets. O'Toole complained to the police, and Mulhattan was soon under arest, but denied taking any money from his friend. The exact amount missing was found, however, in Mulhattan's possession.

Before being locked up Mulhattan appealed to the inspector to be released, and said: "I am the only 'Orange Blossom,' the greatest liar in the world."

"I do not think that your reputation will aid you much now," replied the officer, as he turned the key in Mulhattan's cell.

About two months ago Mulhattan was released from a Chicago inebriate asylum. He has been in Pittsburgh about one week.

EDWIN BOOTH.

Edwin Booth, the great actor, is contemplating retiring from the American stage. Of late years he has grown solitary. In fact it is said that he has played Hamlet so long, that he has become so imbued with the philosophy of the melancholy Dane, that it has tinged his whole life. If Mr. Booth would take Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure he would find that it would greatly relieve him, clear away the mists from his brain, stimulate his throat, aid his digestion, and make a new man of him. For all maladies that arsse from a cold this great German Remedy has no equal. It is peculiarly applicable for the throat troubles that afflict actors. It will relieve the worst cold at once, and cure it in a day. It contains no opiate or other poison and can be given to the weakest infant without danger, and at the same time it is prompt, efficacious and certain. For sale by all druggists.

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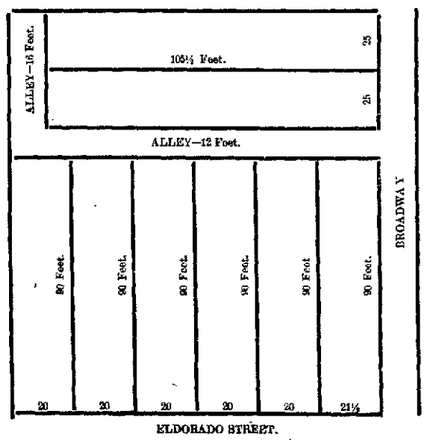

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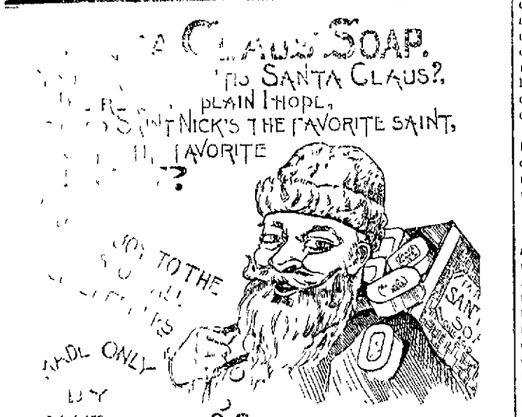

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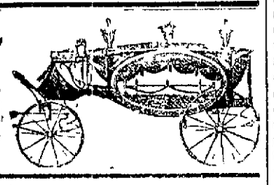

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County of Macon }

The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the estate of John Hollis, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house, in Decatur, at the January term, of the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of November, A. D. 1891.

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novl1 d3w Executor

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Home Rule Out of Joint

The situation at the Briceville and other coal mines in the state of Tennessee is becoming interesting. The miners who were supplanted by convict labor and who in turn released the convicts, declare that these convicts shall not be returned to the mines. The Governor of the state asserts that he will rebuild the stockades and return the convicts to work, but fearing that the militia of the state may not be able to enforce his order he has asked the Secretary of War to aid him with United States troops in case it becomes necessary to call for them.

This is a remarkable situation for a Democratic Governor of a sovereign(?) state to be in. An appeal from such a source, to the National government, for aid to enforce an obnoxious convict labor law, by which it is proposed to drive out free labor to make room for convict labor, under contract to Calvin S. Brice, chairman of the National Democratic central committee, is a ridiculous spectacle. It looks much as if the great Democratic doctrine of "home rule" were so seriously out of repair under *Governor* Buchanan as national unity was out of repair under *President* Buchanan in 1860. Gov. Buchanan's request for National troops is exceedingly ridiculous, and we venture to say will not be complied with until the Governor of Tennessee has exhausted all the resources of the State to put down disturbances, and having failed the state is in danger of losing its republican form of government, or an attempt is made by either party to the contention to interfere with railroads or other things over which the government has a constitutional supervision.

Tennessee has reached the day of reckoning for its offensive laws by which the rights of labor are ignored and convicts are paraded in gangs through the state to work in competition with free labor. The other states of the South will meet, sooner or later, the same trouble which now menace the peace of Tennessee as the result of the same kind of laws. These states that hand down solid Democratic majorities by question able methods must learn that the rights of labor must be respected, and that neither slave labor nor convict labor can be made to take the place of free American citizens who, among other sovereigns of this country, cast ballots.

The National Government, which has for years been ridiculed by these states cannot afford to, and will not lend its aid to saddle these obnoxious state laws upon a free people.

Democratic Presidents

The Democratic party professes great sympathy for the Western farmers at all times except at its National conventions. At none of these has their love for the farmers of the West been strong enough to cause it to nominate a Western man for president. The Republican party, except in 1884 when it was defeated recognized the importance of the West by selecting Western men for presidents. Lincoln, Grant, Hayes, Garfield and Harrison were all Western men. The Democrats have offered the West only Eastern men as candidates, as follows: McClellan, Seymour, Tilden, Hancock and Cleveland, all from New York the money center of the country. Those were all defeated except Cleveland in his first race and as soon as he was elected, and before he was inaugurated, he wrote a letter asking Congress to stop the coinage of silver. For the past two years the Democratic leaders have again appealed to the people of the West telling them that the plutocrats of the East were eating up the substance and otherwise shouting calamity, fairly splitting the skies, but in 1892 these same leaders will offer an Eastern gold bug as a candidate for president to the farmers of the West who will appoint a New York man secretary of the treasury.

The Next Congress

Chicago *Inter Ocean*. Except the congress that assembled on the breaking out of the war, when the Democrats from the south left their seats, there has never been a house of representatives at Washington in which the numerical predominance of a party has been so great as will be that of democrats in the house which will meet on the first Monday in December next.

All the vacancies having been filled at the late election the house has a membership of 88 Republicans, 237 Democrats and 7 who were elected by the Farmers Alliance. Surry of 1890. So large a majority is unwieldy and dangerous to itself, but as during the entire life of the 51st congress there will be a Republican senate and President, it can do the nation no great harm, the chances are that a majority will, in fact, be a blessing in disguise, by showing what it would do if it had equal power in the executive and other legislative branch of the government. It will not be the first time a Democratic house since the war, during the session immediately preceding a Presidential election, has contributed very largely to a Republican triumph.

CHICAGO *Journal*.—The latest report is from Columbus, Ohio. A dispatch says that leading Ohio Democrats demand that Calvin S. Brice shall resign so that Governor Campbell may call an extra session of the Legislature (the old one, which is Democratic) to elect a Senator in Brice's place. In that case Governor Campbell would be elected. The dispatch adds: "Democrats here are afraid the Republicans may be able to prove that Mr. Brice is not a citizen of Ohio, and that he is a citizen of New York and that the hard earned victory of two years ago will be thrown away. It is said that Mr. Brice positively refuses even to consider such a proposition. He believes that the question of his eligibility to a seat in the Senate will not be raised. Doubtless there would be greater objection to a Democratic United States Senator from Ohio elected by this scheme than there is to Brice.

THE defeat of Gov. Campbell in Ohio is fraught with material for serious reflection on the part of the governor. It was he who as executive officer of the great state of Ohio gave his official approval to the infamous Democratic gerrymander act by which Major McKinley was put into a district with 3000 Democratic majority against him. That act defeated Major McKinley for Congress, but it also came back to trouble Gov. Campbell by bringing McKinley into the field as a candidate for governor and thus insuring the defeat of Campbell. It was a bad day's work for Gov. Campbell, for by his defeat he is practically shelved politically. Had he been re elected governor of Ohio, there is little doubt that he would now be available Democratic timber.

THE representatives of the Democratic party in Congress voted almost to a man in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver, and now the same ducks are trying to declare it a dead issue. They probably proceed on the theory that whenever the Democrats support a measure with unanimity that measure is ready for the coroner.

SENATOR VEST is now in favor of Grover Cleveland for President, notwithstanding the fact that he declared Cleveland an impossibility on account of his anti-silver views six months ago. Cleveland has not changed his views, but Vest and other Democratic leaders probably have.

IN attempting to dodge the free coinage of silver as an issue the Democratic party will have a great deal of trouble dodging about two volumes of free silver speeches made by Democratic leaders in Congress in 1890-91.

NOTHING has been heard of Senator Stanford's Presidential boom as the candidate of the calamity howlers since the recent elections in the West.

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Estate of Sarah L. Oakes, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the estate of Sarah L. Oakes, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house, in Decatur, at the January term, of the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of November, 1891.

WILLIAM L. OAKES,
novl0 d3w Executor

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Lincoln Steel vs. Yates Steel et al. } No. 13882. Bill for Foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon County, in the state of Illinois, rendered in the above entitled case at the September term of said court, A. D. 1891, I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said Court, will on

Wednesday, November 25, 1891,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the west outside entrance to the Circuit Court room, in the city of Decatur, in said County, offer for sale subject to redemption, according to law, and subject to the approval of the Court, at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, the lands mentioned in said decree and described as follows, to wit:

All of that part of the southeast quarter (¼) of section thirty two (32), township fifteen (16) north, range two (2), east of the 3rd principal meridian, lying west of the right of way of the Illinois Central railroad, except lots Nos. ten (10) and eleven (11) of block two (2) of Street's addition to Macon, situated in Macon county, Illinois, subject to a certain mortgage of Clifford M. Anthony, trustee, mentioned in said decree, which mortgage the purchaser will assume to pay at maturity.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 26 day of November, A. D. 1891.

JAMES J. FINN,
Master in Chancery.
I. D. WALKER, Solicitor. Nov3-d4w

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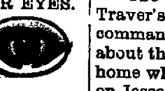

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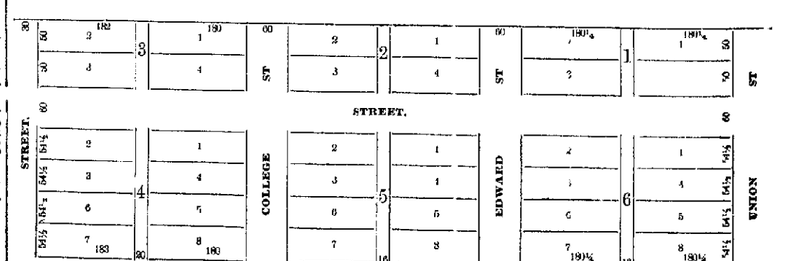

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Divorce Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the January Term, A. D. 1892.

In chancery. Proves, Abel W. Cross, Divorce.

A Bill in the non residence in this state of the said Abel W. Cross, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Abel W. Cross that the above named complainant has filed her bill of complaint in said Court, on the chancery side thereof, which said is pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of said Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said Macon county on the second Monday in the month of January, A. D. 1892, Now, unless you, the said Abel W. Cross, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

B. L. SPERRY, Sol. for Complainant.
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THURSDAY EVE., NOV. 12, 1891.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

LUNCH at Wood's.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

VAN VLIESENGEN'S excursion to Chicago, November 16th.

SALTED almonds at Wood's.

NEXT month Lincoln will have electric street cars and electric lights.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

BUY the favorite flour—White Loaf and Daily Bread, made by Shellabarger.

OYSTERS by the can and in bulk at May & Churchman's grocery store.

ROSELAND lots $325 and upwards—ten per cent cash, balance easy payments.

BLANK & GRASS is the place to buy your Paints, Wall Paper and Window Shades. apr25-dtf

THE Coffman mill at Monticello has been purchased by the bank there for $5,000.

BEAUTIFUL MANTELS, at very reasonable prices, at Lytle & Eckels Hardware Company. tf

C. B. PRESCOTT, the music dealer, has an elegant line of new styles Haines Bro's, pianos and the celebrated Packard organs. See them.

STRICTLY pure candies, at living prices at Harry's Kandy Kitchen.

SELECT the Michi Little Rose and Bouquet cigars and you will get good smokers.

USE Decatur nut coal at $1.30 per ton, delivered. Send orders by telephone. Call up Nos. 89, 109 or 227. oct12-dtf

TRY the pure buckwheat flour and delicious maple syrup at Cool Bro's, grocery store 217 North Main street.

SANDWICHES and coffee at Wood's.

MOSES P. EVERETT, of Sangamon, has been granted an original pension through the agency of M. Shea.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

A FULL supply of groceries every day can be had at Hanks & Co.'s complete store, 143 South Water street.

THE finest candy in the city at Wood's.

THE Lady Godiva must have had exceptionally long hair since it completely concealed her lovely person. Since Ayer's Hair Vigor came into use such examples are not so rare as formerly. It not only promotes the growth of the hair, but gives it a rich, silken texture.

THE Eighth annual convention of the Illinois Young Woman's Christian Association is in session at Champaign. The program contemplates a most excellent meeting. There will be addresses by Rev. E. D. Burr, of Chicago, J. C. White, Secretary Student Volunteer Movement; L. W. Messer, Chicago, general secretry Y. M. C. A., Miss Elizabeth Wilson, International Secretary Y. W. C. A., and others.

DO YOU suffer with chilblains?—I certify to the prompt relief obtained from the use of Salvation Oil for chilblains, and do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cure I ever tried. H. HOOD,
739 West Pratt st., Baltimore, Md.

"What fine chisel could ever yet cut breath!" and yet a hard vexing cough is cut all to bits with one bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the favorite.

EVERY man has an ax to grind, and looks upon every other man with an eye to inducing him to turn the handle.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a *hopeless victim of consumption* that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now she does her own housework and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at King & Wood's Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

TRUTH is mighty, but if a good share of it were not choked into silence this would seem but a sorry world.

Startling Facts.

The American people are rapidly becoming a race of nervous wrecks, and the following suggests the best remedy: Alphonso Hemphing, of Butler, Pa., swears that when his son was speechless from St. Vitus dance, Dr. Miles' great restorative Nervine cured him. Mrs. J. R. Miller, of Vulparaiso, and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., each gained 20 pounds from taking it. Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., was cured of 40 to 50 convulsions a day, and much headache, dizziness, backache and nervous prostration by one bottle. Trial bottles and fine book of marvelous cures, free at W. C. Armstrong's, who recommends and guarantees this unequaled remedy.

THE man who finds out that he has made a fool of himself has learned something valuable.

Why?

Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it "Royal." A glass held up to the light will show why we call it Ruby. $500 reward for any bottle of this wine found under five years old. It is grand in sickness, or where a strengthening cordial is required; recommended by physicians. Sold only in quart bottles. Price, $1. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

THE man who runs behind his ticket may have some push, but he can't have much of a pull.

MY wife was so badly afflicted with rheumatism as to be unable to move in bed without assistance. Our druggist, Mr. Laddamon, recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which greatly relieved her. We have used six bottles at various times, and would not be without it at hand.—JAS. COLEMAN, Lowell, Neb. 50 bottles, sold by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. nov5-d&wtf

DR. REED'S foot lotion cures offensive perspiration; sold at Irwin's Pharmacy.

THE KEISTER ESTATE.

Property Valued at $62,700 Left by Will to Heirs.

The will of the late Peter Keister was filed for probate in the county court yesterday afternoon. It was executed June 12, 1891, and the witnesses were W. C. Johns and I. W. Ehrman. The executors are John F. Keister and Jacob S. Keller, who accepted the trust and filed their bond in the sum of $45,000, with D. W. Brenneman and Milton Johnson as sureties. The value of the property owned by the deceased is placed at $62,700. It consists of land in Hickory township worth $40,000, city property in Decatur worth $14,000, and $8,700 in personal property. Nancy Reager and Mary Keller are given $100 each. To the widow, Susan Keister, is bequeathed an annuity of $800 cash, all of the household effects and one-third of the personal property. The land is divided equally between John F. Keister, of Warrensburg, and Julius Keister, of Decatur. John receives his portion in fee simple. The executors of the will are appointed trustees to hold the land bequeathed to Julius. This trust is imposed until the youngest of the heirs of Julius is 21 years of age. The rentals from this land are to be divided, share and share alike, between Julius and his children. It is provided in the will that the wife of Julius shall receive an equal share with her husband, but she is not to be a beneficiary if she should make application for divorce. As above stated the will was made last June. On the 17th day of the following August, Mrs. Keister, who is the mother of five children, did file her bill for a divorce, and the suit is now pending in court. The testator asks Judge Nelson to appoint a guardian for the minor heirs of Julius Keister.

Gone West.

The Harry Jackson Dramatic Company departed this morning for Beardstown, where "Hoop of Gold" will be presented to-night. The company gave its initial performance at the Grand last night and had a large audience which staid it out. The entire company was not at perfect ease, but Mr. Jackson, as the English comedian, made a hit in his character of *Scotty*, who in the end proved a jolly good fellow in unmasking the villian. In his topical songs Mr. Jackson won four stormy encores. Mr. Robyns was excellent as *Sammy*. The company includes Miss Kate Sefton, Lawrence Manning, Mr. Hand, Ed Anderson, Fred Archer, Walter Meets, Arthur Elroy, Eunice Robyns, Florence Modena and Helen Myrtle. The last named young lady gave an original Spanish skirt dance, the like of which was never before attempted at the Grand. The company has dates ahead to the Pacific coast.

Irish Comedy.

"McCarthy's Mishaps," which will be seen at the Grand to-morrow night, has been presented as completely as its material justified or permitted. It has obviously been sent out by a shrewd manager, who has acurately gauged the drift of the multitude who help to support the stage of to-day, and no doubt it will make some money for its projectors. The Bridgeport *Post* says: "To attempt a description of 'McCarthy's Mishaps' as produced at Proctor's Grand Opera House last night would be a herculean task. Those who saw it are laughing yet and cannot have it mentioned without going into convulsions of laughter. You ought to have seen it! is what they all say. There were singing, dancing and funnyism without end. Those who want to laugh as they never laughed before should go and see it."

Land News.

Wm. Wells, who lately sold his farm near Cerro Gordo, has just returned from a visit to Missouri where he purchased a farm of 240 acres, to which he will soon remove.

A one hundred acre farm in Downs township, McLean county, was sold the other day for $11,000, or $110 an acre.

Peter Schroll has sold his farm south of Cerro Gordo to Reuben Groff, and has purchased land in Iowa. He will move his family and goods there, and become a citizen of that state.

HAMILTON, ILL., November 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gregg of Hamilton, Tuesday celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary, having been married Nov. 10, 1836. Both are in fair health. Mr. Gregg is doubtless the oldest newspaper editor in Illinois, having established the *Carthagenian*, at Carthage, Ill., in June, 1836. He is thoroughly posted on Mormon history, and has written much on the subject. Mr. Gregg is 86 and his wife 87 years of age.

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Gunsmithing.

While in St. Louis we secured the services of James Tuttle, a first class gunsmith, and we are now prepared much better than before to do all kinds of repair work on short order. Our repair shop is now operated by two excellent gunsmiths and one bicycle repairer. We guarantee our work and solicit your orders. H. MUELLER & SONS,
oct24-d1m 138 Merchant Street.

More Victorias.

We have just received another consignment of those "Victoria" carpet sweepers. They are the best in the world. They do not touch the carpet and for that reason do not wear the nap off of even the finest Moquet or Axminister.

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Apples for Sale.

We have for sale a lot of different varieties of apples, which we will sell at bottom prices. Now is the time to lay in your winter supply cheap.
SPITLER & ASHMORE,
nov11-d6* 245 N. Water St.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

O. E. S.

Regular meeting of Decatur Chapter No 111, this (Thursday) evening at Masonic Temple.
MRS. SALLIE J. STICKLE, W. M.
NELLIE C. HOWES, Sec'y.

The Best

French and American Corsets can always be found at Linn & Scruggs D. G. & C. Company. d&w

DR. REED'S Favorite Lotion cures roughness of the skin; sold at Irwin's Pharmacy. oct29-dtf

$1.50 for the Best Cabinet Photos, at Chicago Studio, 249 North Main street. Try them. nov6-dtf

"Devil's Auction" To-Night.

The Gilmore "Devil's Auction" people and special scenery have arrived and will be seen at the Grand to-night in the beautiful production. An exchange said:

The "Devil's Auction," one of the best of that class of theatrical plays appeals to the public by reason of their scenic beauty, and it was produced last night with all the requisite spectacular accessories. The scenery and costumes were both striking and at times elaborate. The mechanical appliances introduced in a number of the stage property tricks were cleverly done and well received. The ballet is magnificent, composed of very pretty and shapely girls, everyone of whom is a celebrity in her line. The entire ballet is harmonized into a gorgeous dream, and is danced to the sound of enrapturing music. The *premiere assoluta*, Mlle. Adele Camis, is one of the most agile and graceful of dancers seen here in years. Of the ballet the entree, by 16 Chinese belles, the dance of the Nautch girls and the Oriental march and evolutions were the most beautiful. Numerous specialties were introduced and heartily received. The Bosbobles are clever acrobats, and the Sorellas in their act, "Follies ob Blanc et Noir," surpass any of their previous efforts here.

A New Departure.

A lecture will be given at the Woman's Club Rooms on Thursday evening, Nov. 12th, by Celia P. Wooley, ex-president of the Woman's Club of Chicago, on Tennyson, illustrated by music and recitations from the celebrated author, followed by a reception. Mrs. Wooley is an enthusiastic worker and an entertaining talker. She is the author of several popular works, among which "Love and Theology" and "A Girl Graduate" have become famous. The public has never been disappointed by the quality of lectures furnished at the Club room, and as this is the first one of a short course, it is hoped that due appreciation of the effort to furnish good entertainments only will meet with the encouragement of a full house. Seats on sale at the Woman's Exchange.

A Full-Blooded Indian Lawyer.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 12.—Mr. Hiram Chase, a full-blooded Indian of the Omaha tribe, was admitted to practice in the federal court yesterday. He is a strong, bright looking young man, thoroughly educated and to all appearances well equipped for the legal profession. He was born and brought up in this state near Pender. He was educated at the Indian schools in the east, and graduated last year from the law school of the University of Pennsylvania. Mr. Chase is the first Indian ever admitted to the practice of law in Nebraska.

Italian Laborers on a Strike.

WATERTOWN, Mass., Nov. 11.—The 350 Italian laborers at work on the sewers here are on strike. Last night was pay night, but the contractor, M. Sullivan, of Little Falls, N. Y., did not have the pay envelopes ready. The Italians became infuriated and attacked Sullivan, but the police rescued him and drove the men to their shanties. This morning they were paid off, receiving $1.35 for each day's work. They declare they were promised $1 50 per day They demand that amount for last month's work, and will make trouble if they don't get it.

Arrested for Murder.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Nov. 12.—Henry Higgins and Joseph Eveland, together with their wives, were arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with the murder of the two old farmers named Kester, which occurred in 1886. The prisoners were lodged in the jail, but absolutely refuse to talk of the murder or their arrest.

The arrests are considered as a good piece of detective work, and it is thought the right parties have been apprehended.

Killed a Book Agent.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 12.—A special from Lincoln, Neb., says Farmer Barrett, living 5 miles south of town, is in jail at his own request. He killed a book agent named Hayes, Tuesday, who tried to make him pay for a book his brother-in-law had bought. The agent attacked him with a cane, which was wrenched from the agent by Barrett, who with a blow fractured the agent's skull.

Fatal Collision with a Hand Car.

CLOQUET, Minn., Nov. 12.—A Duluth & Winnipeg engine and caboose, while backing up to Carlton from here, about 6 o'clock last night, ran into a hand-car which contained six persons. All saved themselves by jumping except Christine Lebeck, wife of the St. Paul & Duluth section boss, who was caught and dragged some distance, receiving injuries from which she died half an hour later.

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SURGEONS ARE IN DOUBT.

Bishop Merrill's Condition Considered Exceedingly Serious.

The condition of Bishop Merrill remains practically unchanged, says the Chicago *Tribune*. At 4:30 p. m. yesterday Drs. J. N. Danford, N. S. Davis and Frederick C. Shaeffer held a consultation at Wesley Hospital. They decided that an operation would be necessary, but all believed it best to wait until the latter part of the week in the hope that some favorable symptom may arise and obviate the necessity of an incision.

"We shall do nothing for several days except take care of the inflammatory symptoms," said Dr. Danford. "I regard the case as serious, but there are as yet no alarming symptoms. There may be none.

"The disease, which is a local intestinal inflammation, is often of a chronic and insidious character, presenting obscure symptoms that prevent the real nature of the case from being known. The average rate of mortality in such cases is 25 per cent. My opinion is that there is pus present in the Bishop's case. His friends have no occasion for present alarm."

Dr. Mary McNeil, of the Wesley Hospital staff, has been acting as nurse. She reports that the Bishop's condition looked better yesterday than the day previous. His temperature at 4:30 was 100 8-10 and his pulse 92.

On account of the number of visitors the doctors attendant on the Bishop have decided to admit no one to his room.

The Question of Jurisdiction Discussed.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 12.—Three hours were taken up yesterday by the senate in the discussion of the resolution denying the right of that body to take jurisdiction in the several cases presented for its consideration to the senate. Messrs Gobin and Packer (reps.) supported the resolution, and Messrs. Rapsher, Brown, Logan, Sloan and Hall (dem.) opposed it. Mr Hall aroused the indignation of some of the republicans by charging that the majority had concluded before any testimony was taken to decide in favor of the proposition contained in the resolution. Senator Logan said the scheme of the majority would be a brazen nullification of a provision of the constitution, and that its purpose was to protect official criminals from removal.

A number of appointments made by the governor since the adjournment of the legislature were confirmed. A committee was appointed to wait upon the governor. He informed them that he had nothing further to communicate to the senate, and they so reported.

The extraordinary session then, at 4:30 p m., adjourned sine die.

A New Scheme for Swindling the Unwary.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 12.—A couple of swindlers, who have been working the smaller towns of the state, were in St. Paul Tuesday, but promptly left on becoming aware that the police had descriptions of them. They are believed to have gone to Minneapolis. The fellows carry sample cases, containing patterns of cloth, which they state has never paid duty, having been smuggled over by a captain of a Cunard liner. They sell suits by sample for a low figure and take a deposit to bind the sale A tailor is supposed to be coming along in a day or two to take the customer's measure and have the clothes made and delivered. The tailor never shows up, and the victim is out the amount of his deposit. The plan has been worked quite extensively in Mankato and other towns in the state.

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SARSAPARILLA

has so good an effect. Elmer Hodson, Alvarado, Tex., writes: "My strength and health had been failing me for several years. My blood was in a very impoverished condition and very impure. My limbs felt lame, rickety and rheumatic, and I could not walk without tottering. I felt myself growing prematurely old, and my face began to look pinched and shriveled. I suffered considerable, was restless at night, very nervous, and growing very melancholy. My eyes were sore and I had catarrh. I tried many tonics, and bitters and blood purifiers, but failed to get better. I finally asked a physician which

IS THE BEST

Sarsaparilla, and he replied Dr. John Bull's. I bought six bottles, and before I had used it all I felt like another man. My strength and health improved, pimples and sores disappeared from my person, aches and stiff joints left me, and I now consider myself a well person."

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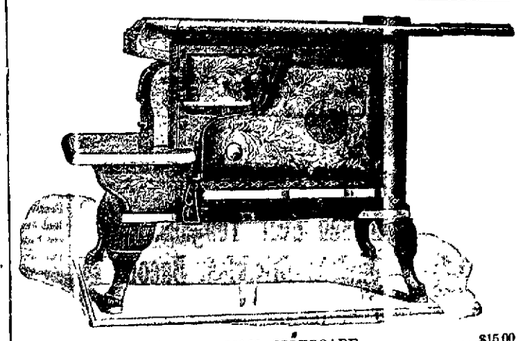

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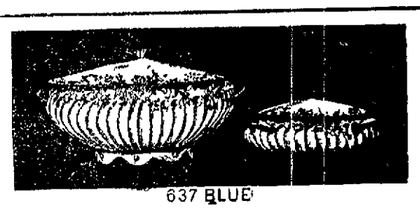

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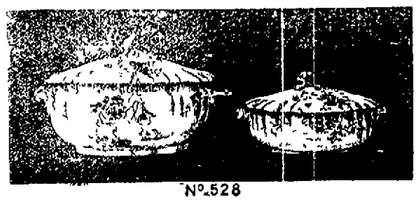

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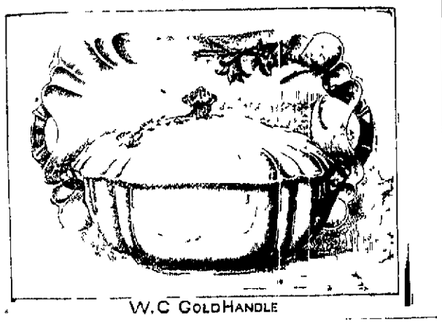

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4 lbs Lion Combination Coffee	1 00	2 " String Beans, 3 cans for	25c
3 lbs Gunpowder Tea for	1 00	2 " Marrowfat Peas, 4 cans	25c
5 lbs. good Rice for	25	Alaska Salmon, per can	10c
Condensed Mince Meat, per package	10	Columbia River Salmon, per can	15c
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THE Choir Chapter of St John's church will give an entertainment to-night at the residence of J M Rainey on West Wood street

EHRHART & Co are employing home labor making candy and teaching our boys and girls a new trade, Patronize them by calling for their goods.

THIS morning Mrs John Hamilton, late superintendent of the Industrial Home, left for Normal to place a six year old boy in the Soldiers' Orphans Home

LOWELL carpets, bodies and ingrains the handsomest and best in the United States, received direct from the mills by Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company

THE "Devil's Auction" came in this noon over the T H & P road from Terre Haute and will appear to night at the Grand Secure your seats at Templeton's Pharmacy.

MR AND MRS HOWARD WHITMER celebrated their wooden wedding anniversary last evening at their home on East Cantrall street About 50 persons were present and the hours were from 7 to 11 o clock.

EVERYONE who has an idea of investing in Chicago real estate, should go on Van Vlissengen's excursion to Roseland and Chicago on November 16th Round trip tickets only $6

ED. WILKINS, fireman on the Wabash railroad, will on next Tuesday be promoted to the position of engineer He is at present running on the water train, which has been supplying the cities of Bement and Lanesville

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical It is sold for a dollar, but worth five

THE Vandalia-Illinois Central Diamond Special between St. Louis and Chicago is doing a handsome business The young brides of the fall season declare that the compartment cars are "perfectly lovely," and a vast improvement o the old drawing room or state room pattern

IN the Monticello *Herald* this week appeared this note "Rev. Joseph Long, a former pastor of the M E. church here, and one of the ablest who has ever filled that pulpit, expects soon to leave for England, his native home, to spend his remaining days. He has been in America sixteen years and says he is thankful that he has had the opportunity of spending so many years under the stars and stripes."

REV. H. H ONEAL, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, will deliver a brief series of sermons on the text, "Are there few that be saved?" The series will embrace the following range of thought What are the probabilities? What are the possibilities? What are the certainties, respecting the salvation of the race? These are great and, just at this time, living themes All who are interested in such discussions—and who is not?—are specially invited to hear them The first of the series, on the "Probabilities concerning the salvation of the race" will be given next Sunday evening, Nov 15

A CIVIL suit has been engaging attention in Justice Curlis' office to day, Attorney Hutchison appearing for the plaintiff Attorney Schroll appeared for the defendant The suit grows out of a demand for $140 for putting in an equalizing pneumatic gas machine of the W. O Brush patent at the house of the defendant He was willing to pay the bill but the machine fails to work properly, hence the suit The patentee had agreed to put in the machine, but the defendant could not wait, and he got a local firm to do the work

G C KINSMAN was at Taylorville this week figuring with the citizens on establishing a city office of the Western Union telegraph company at that place. An offer is made for free rent and citizens say they will stand the expense of putting up the poles They must be hungry for a city office

MARRIAGE licenses have been issued to William Rogers and Miss Sadie Reemsnyder both of Blue Mound, to Edmunton E Potter, of Decatur, and Miss Florence E Fry, of Macon, and Whitney Latham and Miss Louisa Bryant, both of Indianapolis, Ind

THE people of Mowequa are voting to day on the question of an appropriation of $5,000 to build water works The Australian system is the manner of voting The proposition will doubtless have a majority in its favor

THE Wabash earnings for the first week in November amounted to $274 251, showing an increase of $45 240 over the corresponding week last year

AT a meeting of the board of directors of the Calumet Club held last evening Charles E Barnes and J F Snyder were admitted to membership

The Late Walter Miller.

The family desire it stated that the casket will not be opened at the church to morrow at the funeral of the late Walter W Miller Those who desire to view the remains may do so by calling at the residence, No 328 Prairie Avenue, from 10 a m to 12 o clock noon, November 13 h

The funeral service will be held in the audience room of the First M E. Church, at 3 o clock to-morrow afternoon

PERSONAL MENTION

F W Greene is in the city

C L Griswold has returned from Chicago.

Prof Otto Soldan is in Blue Mound to day

Mr and Mrs Darius Vigus are in Chicago

Marshal Mason is in Kansas City on business.

Harvey Sedgwick went to Cerro Gordo this morning

H D Spencer, of Bloomington, is in the city to day

Thomas Bivins visited Dalton City today on business

S. E Walker, of Bethany, was in the city this morning

A R Montgomery visited Bethany to day on business

Miss Carolyn Griswold is visiting friends in Springfield

Mr and Mrs D O Kretzer, of Harristown, are in the city to day

J A Sheppard, traveling passenger agent of the Wabash is here to day

Misses Laura Johns and Harriet How ell are visiting in Springfield to day

A J. Foster and son Fred, of Sadorus, are in the city visiting friends and relatives

Thomas Hamilton, of Denver, Colo, is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs B K Durfee

Charles Holt, train-master for the Illinois Central at Clinton, is in the city to day

R B Starbuck, division superintendent of the P, D & E road, visited Decatur to day

J C Jacobs division superintendent of the Illinois Central, paid Decatur a visit this morning

Mrs W H Marcum, of Warrensburg, Mo, is the guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs Wm Towling

Born, to Mr and Mrs William E. Pease, of 661 East Condit, on Wednesday, Nov 12 a daughter

Miss Ruth A Bennett, who has been visiting relatives in this city, left to day for her home in Rushville, Ind

Mr and Mrs John McCann, who have been in the city visiting relatives, left to day for their home in Zanesville, O.

G W Saul, of Chicago, general manager of the entire Mackey system, was in Decatur to-day on railway business

Robert Morris, a member of the Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co, departed last night for New York City

Rev Mr Geo W Bates and daughter Edith, of Tuscola, are in the city visiting Prof and Mrs James Thomas on North Water street

Mrs J Hawe, who has been very sick for the past three weeks, is rapidly recovering, and is able to be around at her home at 154 East Main street

Bloomington *Bulletin* Hon Owen Scott will leave next week for Washington His family will join him in December at the opening of Congress.

Rev E W McIntosh who has been quite sick the past ten days at his home on West Prairie Ave was taken suddenly worse last evening with paralysis

C B Prescott and Travis Whitsell will leave to night for Plattsburg, N Y Mr Whitsell will return in about four weeks, while Mr Prescott will be absent indefinitely The latter goes for the benefit of his health

Capt J D McGaffey returned to day after a successful business trip in the northern part of the state A statement from the L & M house in New York shows that Mack's record in Illinois the past year as a salesman exceeded that of the former year $4 000.

B H Cassell, Ald Robert Ferguson, Charles Hughes and Lee Heilbrun left this morning for Peoria to attend the Consistory Conclave of 32d degree Masons of the Valley of Peoria Mrs Hughes and Mrs Ferguson went along to be present at the banquet to be given to night

Bob Muzzy, who has been traveling with Forepaugh's circus the past season, is expected to arrive home this evening from the East The show closed the season at Danville, Va He has accepted a position as clerk in C B Prescott's music store for the coming winter Frank Williams, who was also a member of Forepaugh's circus, has already arrived home

Paos

Can't say, but Ralph Templeton will give to each purchaser of 25c worth of Drugs, Medicine, Candies, Perfumes, Face Powder, Cosmetics, Brushes, etc, who mention this ad, an elegant scented cake of transparant toilet soap. Good for one week nov7-d1w

RACKET IN A HOTEL.

A Boston Drummer Makes Trouble for J. F Curry.

Last night J. F. Curry, proprietor of the European Hotel, and the night clerk, Elijah Gillen, had a lively experience with a party named W. H. Anderson, a drummer for a boot and shoe house, who hails from Boston, Mass, and the result of it all was that Anderson was fired out and arrested for disorderly conduct.

Anderson had registered at the St Nicholas and was sent down to the European to a room for the night. He came in at 8 o'clock and was shown to his room, No 29, on the third floor He had ample time and opportunity to take his bearings, as there was a light in the hall, and everything was smooth and in good order for the guest, who wore a plug hat when ushered into his room. After the clerk had returned to the office he had occasion to return to the upper halls and he was surprised to find that Anderson was wandering about the halls in a curious manner He was not recognized at first, as he had put on a soft hat after entering his room. Finally Mr. Curry went up stairs and had an interview with the drummer He had no explanation to offer for his strange conduct and soon after he left the hotel He returned at 11 o'clock. Mr Curry was still on duty. Anderson went up to his room and then came out again, to renew the act of walking through the halls on the second and third floors Again did Mr. Curry ascend the stairway to put a stop to the racket. He found Anderson at the rear of a hall on the second floor, trying to enter a room When accosted Anderson said he wanted to get to his room Then ensued a few rambling remarks, which ended in the drummer abusing Mr Curry and declaring that he would kill him Mr Curry had his nerve with him, as usual, and immediately Mr A derson was ordered to pack up his traps and get out, and that if he wanted to kill anybody he could find him (Curry) down in the office Mr. Curry then returned to the office, and gathered the heavy stove poker which he took behind the counter and waited for blood-thirsty Anderson to appear Anderson came down with his grip, and left without offering to do anybody violence and quiet was restored

Anderson has been arrested for disorderly conduct, and will have a hearing in Justice Hammer's court Officer Williamson made the arrest Mr. Curry and the hotel guests are yet in the dark to account for Anderson's conduct Anderson has paid a fine-something over $8

At the Wrong Church

In its mention of the Jo-Jo-Bishop glass eating performance the REPUBLICAN last evening said the entertainments were given at the African M. E. Church, that being the printed announcement in the big bills distributed by Bishop. But Bishop did not use the A M E. Church on either of the three nights. He used the Antioch Baptist Church. The A M. E people and pastor objected to that class of an entertainment in their church, and consequently Bishop sought another place after his bills were printed. The REPUBLICAN was misled by Bishop's advertising matter

Sales of Real Estate

William Sturgis to J Ella Sturgis, deed to 72 feet off the south side of lot 20, west half 33, 15, 2 east $100.

Mary A Brock to Smith H. Brock, 40 acres in the northwest quarter of 11, 16, 1 west, in Niantic township—$1,600.

John Wilson to Smith H. Brock, lots 11 and 12, block 4 Brock's addition to Niantic—$400

George V. Loring to A T. Risley, lot 4, G V Loring's subdivision of lots 1 and 2, block 3 in Cassell's 2d addition to Decatur—$5 038

Wm McGoodwin to Washington Rice, lot 7 of Quinlan's 3d addition to Decatur—$400

Stix, Krouse & Co, quit claim, to W. C. Dimock, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 8, Crowder & Corntbwait's addition to Decatur—$500

STATE NEWS.

The Illinois Fat Stock Show opened at the Exposition building, Chicago, last night

Conrad Myers, a farmer of New Lenox, committed suicide Tuesday night in a cell at the police station. He had been arrested on the charge of drunkenness.

The Alton railway is selling tickets from Kansas City to St. Louis and Chicago and return at one fare. Other roads are preparing to 'follow suit"

Thomas W. J Long, of Camanche, Iowa, after making a speech at a session of Lincoln Park Chapter of Masons, Chicago, staggered and fell into the arms of a brother and died

MRS MARY OLIVER was buried at Shelbyville yesterday She was the first white child born in that town and her father was the first county and circuit court clerk there as well as postmaster. She was 65 years old.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 15 p. m. to-day, received by B Z Taylor, Secretary Decatur Grain Company

LIVE STOCK—Estimated receipts—
Hogs—28 000, slow
Cattle—12,000, steady

GRAIN—Car lots—
Wheat 450, Corn 300, Oats 360

	NOV	DEC	MAY
WHEAT	$ 94¼	$ 95½	$1.02¼
CORN	52¼	.45	.42⅞
OATS	31	—	32
	DEC	JAN	
PORK	$ 8.50	$11 32	
LARD	6 17½	6 30	
RIBS	5 82½	5 82½	

Now you know that Ferriss & Lapham always sole your shoes cheap But all past prices are not in it compared with the low prices which they are now quoting. They must turn their present wholesale stock into cash before January 1 and they have to sell the bulk of it at retail in Decatur Better go there and buy now Nothing like getting a pair of shoes at half price when you can Ferriss & Lapham, 148 East Main street. tf

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Regular convention of Coeur de Leon Lodge this (Thursday) evening at 7 30 Work in ranks of Page and Knight. Resident and visiting Knights welcome F O DAMROW, C C
F W WIEMER, K of R and S

Resigned.

C P Stanyan has resigned his place as superintendent of the Alexander knitting factory. The new superintendent is A. B Alexander

Dancing.

Mrs Sedgwick's evening beginners' class will meet to-night at 7.30 o'clock.

A WOMAN'S glory is in her hair, but it is a good plan to tie it up when cooking.

IN the world a man wants a good balancing pole to walk the narrow path.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

Albert Baker of Clinton, Meets Death Under the Wheels at Walker Station.

The south bound freight train No. 13, on the Illinois Central railroad, did considerable switching at Walker Station south of Macon this morning. Albert Baker, a brakeman, was a member of the train crew, and he was engaged in making a coupling, when in some manner now unknown, he got under the wheels of the moving cars, and was so badly injured that death resulted in a short time. One arm was crushed as was also one foot The body was taken to Clinton, the home of the deceased, on the 9 15 train He was aged about 25 years and was a popular employe of the company.

Temperance at the Court House.

The largest and most enthusiatic meeting of the series was held last night at the Court House A number of the prominent citizens were present and were evidently interested in what Mr Dunn had to say on temperance. The speaker made a strong appeal to the drinking men Mr Dunn says nothing to offend but believes in the charity that is kind. The interest is evidently increasing. The workers did good service in the audience and about seventy new names were added to the pledge roll The young and the old are donning the white ribbon as workers and exerting an influence for great good All are cordially invited

There was a large attendance at the called meeting of the Union yesterday to consult Mr. Dunn in regard to plans for the meetings It is evident that the Motherhood of Decatur is more than usual encouraged

Note From S. W Johns

S W. Johns is a member of the Illinois Agricultural Board for the Fourteenth district He is in Chicago attending the fat stock show and sends us this note on the exhibition

EDS REPUBLICAN You may say that the 14th fat stock and sire stock show now in progress at the Exposition building is a grand success, that the entries are as large and the quality much superior to any other show. The special attractions consist of high jumping contests between Filemaker, with a record of 7 feet 4½ inches, and Roseberry, with a record of 7 feet 4⅝ inches, and a great many horses with records of less height. We also have Madam Marenletto with the world famous horse,Owlawn; the trotting dog "Doc," and the pacing dog "Joe," with innumerable smaller attractions The crowd on the opening night was the largest in the history of the show Yours, S W. JOHNS

Death of Norman Failing

A telegram was received to-day stating that Norman Failing, aged about 60 years, died this forenoon at his home at Denver, Colo Mr Failing was a native of New York, and until 1882 he was a banker and in the grain business at Macon, in this county Owing to poor health he removed to Denver with his family in 1882 He leaves a widow and four children in good circumstances The children are Charles H. Failing, of Walker Station, Ill, Misses Ida and Nellie Failing, and Norman Failing. The deceased had considerable mining and other property in Colorado. He was well known in Decatur as a good business man and upright citizen.

Big Land Sale

Yesterday at Lincoln occurred a sale by the master-in chancery of the largest amount of real estate in Logan county owned by one man, with the single exception of Mr. Wm Scully, of London, England. It was the property of the late B. H Brainard, and the sale brought together a large number of prospective purchasers from a distance. The number of acres sold was about 4,000, divided into about twenty farms, besides a few lots in the town of Lincoln. The sale brought $209,714 50 The master's fee is no small sum

Two Failures in Bement

There was two business failures yesterday at Bement, Piatt county C T Rittenhouse, a furniture dealer, failed and made an assignment to James W Clore His liabilities are $3,000 C. D D Niles, one of the old business firms of Bement and dealer in groceries, failed for $4,000 and his store was closed by Sheriff Joseph Woolington Mr Niles had his store room burned out only about a year ago and has never recovered from that loss

Penny Wise and Pound Foolish

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis Nov 12—H W Stearns of New York city was buncoed out of $700 by two confidence men on the train which reached here at 6 50 yesterday morning He sat up all night to save sleeping car fare and during the night was accosted by the two strangers, who proposed a game of cards He consented, with the above result

At the city limits one of the confidence men pulled the bell cord The train stopped, and the confidence men jumped off and escaped

A Complete Jail Delivery

COLUMBUS, O, Nov 12—At 10 o'clock yesterday morning the prisoners in the Morrow county jail at Mount Gilead, O, picked the lock, and, overpowering the sheriff, made a break for liberty Every prisoner escaped and none has so far been re taken Among the number were Rev Gano a wife murderer and two burglars, who are thought to be dangerous crooks

Whisky's Work

WHITEWATER, Wis., Nov 12—When the Lima lodge, I O G T, was about to be called to order Tuesday night a stick of wood with an augut hole in it was put in the stove and immediately an explosion occurred, breaking the stove to pieces and seriously burning Will Harrington The flames were quickly extinguished As yet no clue to the person or persons who tried to blow up the building has been found

A Big Windfall.

BALTIMORE, Md, Nov 12 — Mrs. Mary Ann Pitcher, the wife of Mr Philip Pitcher, inspector of brick at a belt-line shaft in this city has just come into a fortune of $300,000 through the death of her father, Mr Nathan Pumpherry, a well-known truck farmer of Anne Arundel county

Train Robbery on the Chicago & Alton Railroad.

NEW YORK, Nov 12.—A special to the Recorder from Kansas City says A report comes from Independence, 16 miles east of here, of a train robbery on the Chicago & Alton road, a few miles east of that point. Only the express car was robbed, according to the report.

A Serious Fire.

YANKTON, S D, Nov 12—Fire yesterday morning destroyed the livery barn of Mayor Power, together with twenty-seven horses and fifteen valuable carriages. Loss, $100,000, insurance, $5,000

PALMER SOLID FOR THE HALL

The Commander-in-Chief on the Memorial Project—Official Order.

The officers of the National Memorial Hall commission at the headquarters in Decatur are in receipt of a copy of General Orders No 5, sent out from National G. A R headquarters at Albany, N Y, by Colonel John Palmer, commander-in-chief. That portion most interesting to the commission and Decatur people generally is as follows

IV The 24th National Encampment authorized the erection of a soldiers National Memorial Hall, at Decatur Illinois, in which shall be preserved such official records of the Encampments, Departments and Posts of the Grand Army of the Republic and such trophies relics records and memorials of the War of the Rebellion as may be received and approved by the trustees of the association In pursuance to this action "The National Memorial Hall Association, Grand Army of the Republic was incorporated under the laws of the state of Illinois and chartered July 29 1891

The 25th National Encampment required the association to provide in its by laws for an advisory board, to consist of the Commander in Chief and the Department Commanders of the Grand Army of the Republic and for the appointment of four members of its Board of Trustees by the Commander in Chief The National Memorial Hall Association has complied with these requirements and is now authorized to solicit contributions for the erection and maintenance of the proposed Memorial Hall

The Grand Army of the Republic in twenty encampments has authorized this project It is therefore needless to say more than a mere recitation of it that it is the Memorial of the Grand Army itself and is the most effective method of providing means the Commander in Chief orders that each and every post of the Grand Army upon receipt of this order shall at once form a committee to solicit contributions for this purpose The money collected will be forwarded by Post Commanders to Major Frank I Hays treasurer Decatur Ill, accompanied with a list of the names of the contributors as in for the by laws each contribution becomes in honor the member

The National Memorial Hall Association Grand Army of the Republic

By order of JOHN PALMER
Commander in Chief

FRED DITTENHOEFER, Adjutant General
D U QUICK, Asst Adjutant General

New York and South Dakota

NEW YORK, Nov 11—Both parties assert their claims to the Legislature as loudly as ever The county committees yesterday did little or nothing to settle the question, nor will they do much before the last of the week News from the several disputed counties show an inclination on both sides to raise a contest, that was only prevented by a whole some regard for the law which is plain and explicit The situation is trying to both parties, for each has a great deal at stake and is taking every chance to win

PIERRE, S D, Nov 11—Returns received from every county in South Dakota give Jolley (Rep) 16,881, Woods (Dem) 6,674, Smith (Ind) 1 966 votes for Congress Jolley a plurality in 2,888

Chrysanthemums

All varieties in Chrysanthemums are to be had, from 15 to 25 cents each also white and cream roses, 90c per dozen, pink roses $1 00, Carnations per dozen, 30c, chrysanthemums from 10c to 50c per dozen Telephone all orders No 200
12-d6 N BOMMERSBACH, Florist

NUT COAL delivered $1 80 per ton Telephone 109, 89 or 227 Decatur Coal Company oct12 dtf

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Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county in the state of Illinois has rendered judgment for special taxes upon the property benefited by the following local improvement The construction and laying of a sewer in the city of Decatur in Macon county, in the state of Illinois commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on the west side of Broadway Street Sewer in the center of East Marietta street which said sewer is to be constructed from the said beginning point, westward on the central line of said East Marietta street to a point on the central line of the alley running north and south between North Main street and North Water street, and which said sewer is to be constructed from said last named point northward, on the central line of said alley to the north side of East Packard street, together with all connections, Y junctions, catch basins man holes openings and adjuncts pertaining thereto, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special taxes is in the hands of the undersigned All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially taxed at the collectors office, No 247 North Main street, in said city being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof

Dated this 12th day of November, A D 1891
L F SKELLY City Clerk
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Dated this 12th day of November, A D 1891.
L F SKELLEY, City Clerk.
nov12-d30t

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$5.00 REWARD to the boy who has worn a pair of POWERS' $1.00 Solid Shoes the longest time.

The Lucky Boy will be paid $5.00 on Monday, November 16, 1891.

This contest will remain open all of this week.

All statements must be made in writing with one witness at least.

+POWERS.+